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June 20, 1955

MEMORANDUM

TO: Executive Secretary, EDIC

FROM: FOA Member

SUBJECT: EDIC/ID-13

It would seem preferable to compare Soviet exports of strategic goods with the most recent International Lists rather than those in effect when the goods were shipped. Some of the items shown in EDIC/ID-13 are no longer listed and therefore are presently considered of reduced strategic importance.

I would suggest a common monetary unit of value in order to compare easily shipments from various sources.

There is evidence of the movement of the following strategic goods from the Soviet Bloc to the Free World.

Petroleum equipment

1150. Oil well drilling and exploration equipment
Afghanistan from U.S.S.R. (offers)
Indonesia from Czechoslovakia and Rumania (offers)

1151. Oil refining equipment
Finland from U.S.S.R. (offer)

1154, 2154 and 3154. Oil country tubular products
Afghanistan from U.S.S.R.

1266 and 2266. Hydroelectric equipment
Indonesia from Hungary and Communist China

1321. Tractors
India from U.S.S.R.

3323. Earth-moving machinery
Pakistan from U.S.S.R. (through U.N.)

1450 and 2450. Trucks
Afghanistan from U.S.S.R.

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1471, 1481, 1485, 2479, 3470-81.	Transportation equipment Afghanistan from U.S.S.R.
2479, 3472, 3474.	Railway cars Egypt from Hungary Syria from East Germany
1565.	Electronic computing equipment India from U.S.S.R.
1773-1781 and 3768-3772.	Petroleum products Afghanistan from U.S.S.R. Egypt from U.S.S.R. and Rumania Finland from U.S.S.R. and Rumania Greece from U.S.S.R. Iceland from U.S.S.R. Israel from U.S.S.R. Norway from U.S.S.R. and Rumania Uruguay from U.S.S.R.

In addition, industrial machinery has been offered in many instances.

Deep hole rotary drilling rigs
Lebanese firm from U.S.S.R. for use in Syria

Diamond mining equipment
India from U.S.S.R.

Heavy machinery
Afghanistan from U.S.S.R. and Czechoslovakia
Argentina from Czechoslovakia and U.S.S.R. (offers)
Ceylon from U.S.S.R.
Egypt from Czechoslovakia
India from U.S.S.R.
Pakistan from Poland (offers)
Turkey from Czechoslovakia and U.S.S.R. (offers)
Uruguay from U.S.S.R.

Sugar mill machinery
Indonesia from East Germany

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Steel mill machinery
India from U.S.S.R.
India from Czechoslovakia (offer)

Textile machinery
Burma from Communist China
Indonesia from East Germany and Czechoslovakia
Mexico from Czechoslovakia

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